

STUDENT HOUSING LEASE AGREEMENT DATED _____

- 1) **PARTIES:** The parties to this agreement are **MV Student Housing** hereinafter called "Owner" and the persons below signed, hereinafter called "Student(s)".
- 2) **LOCATION:** _____, Bloomsburg, PA 17815, hereafter call "Premises."
- 3) **TERM:** The term of this agreement will be for the academic year (2 semesters) beginning on August 17, 2023 and ending on May 13, 2024.
- 4) **RENT:** The rental fee for the term of this agreement will be \$ _____. This amount is divided per Student as follows:

\$ _____	per semester based on _____	Students
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_____	per semester based on _____	Students

Rent payments are due July 15th (Fall Semester) and December 15th (Spring Semester)

Payments can be made to: **OR** **APPFOLIO**
 MV Student Housing **All tenants will have a portal where they can make a rent payment**
 9 E. Main Street, Bloomsburg, PA 17815

Note: The rent due from each Student is based on the total amount of the rent divided by the number of Students living in the Premises. If one Student backs out of the lease, it is the responsibility of the exiting student and or the remaining students to find a replacement. Should a replacement not be found, total rent stays the same and is divided by the remaining Students, therefore the per Student amount per semester will increase.

➤ **Late Charge:** A late charge of \$5.00 per day will be assessed after the due date of August 1st and January 1st. For Students on Financial aid, this fee will be waived till OCTOBER 1 and MARCH 1 if evidence of student loans is provided and parental guarantee form is signed. After OCTOBER 1 and MARCH 1 late fee will be charged.

➤ **Interest Charges and Collection Fees:** The Owner will charge interest at the rate of Two percent (2%) per month on any rent delinquent by more than sixty (60) days. Such interest will be in addition to the late charge and the Owner is authorized to apply security deposit to these items. In the event the delinquent account is turned over a collection agency Student agrees to pay all fees associated with collecting the delinquent rent. This could add up to an addition 50 percent (50%) on top of amount owed.

➤ **Monthly Payment Plan:** Monthly payment option via Electronic Fund Transfer due by the Fifth (5th) day of each month. The first payment must be initiated by July fifteenth (15th) and should be divided by 10 payments with the last semester payment made by the fifteenth (15th) of April. There will be a \$100 processing fee per semester for monthly payments. Ex. \$6400 + \$200 = \$6600/ 10 payments = \$660/month.

➤ **Occupancy: No Student shall have the right to occupy the said Premises until all rents and security deposits have been paid and Parent Guarantee forms turned in, in accordance with this Lease Agreement. No keys shall be given to any Student before all rents and security deposits from all Students have been paid and all Parent Guarantee forms have been turned in.**

➤ **Parking:** A fee of \$350 is charged per year per Student who utilizes parking facilities. Please include the \$350 parking fee mailed to Owner's address below along with first rent payment due in July. Parking spaces are not guaranteed and are distributed on a first come first serve basis.

* If your house includes parking the number of spots included will be stated here:- _____ spots

**NOTE: Not all properties have parking on site

➤ **Failure to Move In or Vacating Premises:** If a Student fails to move in or vacates the premises and the opening is not filled, rent will not be refunded. If rent has not been paid by the **Student(s) who vacate and the rent cannot be collected by the Owner after a reasonable effort for collection, the remaining Students must make up the difference in rent. Change in University enrollment status has no bearing on this Lease.**

5) **CONDITION OF PREMISES:** Student stipulates, represents and warrants that Student has examined the Premises, and that they are at the time of this Lease in good order, repair, and in a safe, clean and tenantable condition.

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6) **INSURANCE:** Owners insurance does not provide coverage for Student's personal property. We urge you to get your own insurance for losses due to theft, fire, water damage, and the like. You intend to (check one):

Not buy insurance to protect against such losses or

Buy insurance from your own agent to cover such losses

* If neither is checked, you acknowledge that you will not have insurance coverage.

7) **DAMAGES AND REIMBURSEMENT:** Owner is not liable for loss, injury, or damage to any person or property unless the loss, injury or damage is caused by the Owner's intentional act or neglect. Student shall repay to Owner any money spent by Owner due to Student's intentional act or neglect. Student is responsible for all intentional acts or neglect. Student is responsible for all intentional acts or neglect of Student's family, friends, and others who use the Leased Premises. Owner shall not be liable for any injury or damage caused by water, rain, snow or ice that leaks or flows from whatever source into or around the Leased Premises or the building within which the Leased Premises is located. Students are responsible for Snow Removal.

8) **PRIVATE USE AND CLEANLINESS:** The leased Premises and other areas reserved for Students private use must be kept clean. Trash must be disposed of at least weekly in appropriate receptacles in accordance with local ordinances. Owner may exclude from the apartment/house guests or others who, in Owner's judgment, have been violating the law, violating this Lease Contract or any rules, or disturbing other residents, neighbors, visitors, or Owner representatives.

9) **PARKING:** Owner may regulate the time, manner, and place of parking all cars, trucks, motorcycles, bicycles, boats, trailers, and recreational vehicles. Motorcycles or motorized bikes may not be parked inside leased Premises or on sidewalks, under stairwells, or in handicapped parking areas. Owner may have unauthorized or illegally parked vehicles towed under an appropriate statute. All cars parked in a numbered parking stall must have a parking permit; those without one will be towed at the vehicle owner's expense. Owner is not responsible for any damage done to vehicles parked in Owners lots.

10) **CASUALTY LOSS:** We are not liable to any resident, guest, or occupant for personal injury or damage or loss of personal property. We have no duty to remove any ice, sleet, or snow but may remove any amount with or without notice. Students are responsible for snow removal.

11) **ANIMALS:** No animals (including, but not limited to, mammals, reptiles, birds, fish, rodents, and insects) are allowed, even temporarily, anywhere in the apartment or house community. If Student or any guest or occupant violates animal restrictions (with or without Student's knowledge), Student will be subject to charges, damages, eviction, and other remedies provided in this Lease Contract. If an animal has been in the leased Premises at any time during Student's term of occupancy Owner will charge Student for defleaing, deodorizing, and shampooing. Owner may remove an unauthorized animal without prior notice given. Owner may keep or kennel the animal or turn it over to a humane society or local authority. When keeping or kenneling an animal, Owner will not be liable for loss, harm, sickness, or death of the animal. Owner will return the animal to Student upon request if it has not already been turned over to a humane society or local authority. Student must pay for the animal's reasonable care and kenneling charges. A Daily Fine of \$200 will be Assesses for each day the unauthorized PET is at the property.

EXCEPTION: PETS ARE ONLY ALLOWED ONLY IF A PET AGREEMENT IS SIGNED IN ADVANCED, THERE IS A \$400 PET DEPOSIT, ALL STUDENTS MUST SIGN THE PET AGREEMENT MAKING ALL STUDENTS LIABLE FOR DAMAGE DONE TO RENTAL PROPERTY. AGREEMENT SIGNED- _____

12) **PARENT GUARANTEES:** Both parents of each Student signing this lease are required to sign a Parent Guarantee form. Parent guarantees from all parents must be received before any Student is allowed to move in. Guarantors will be notified in the event fines are issued or disruptive conduct notices are given.

13) **OWNERS RIGHT TO VOID LEASE:** Owner reserves the right to void lease, by giving written notice to Students, at any time prior to all Deposits and Parent Guarantees being received from all Students signing below, and rent the property to another Students. In this event, this lease becomes Null and Void.

14) **REPLACEMENTS AND SUBLETTING:** Replacing a Student, subletting, or assignment is allowed only when Owner consents in writing. If departing or remaining Students find a replacement Student acceptable to Owner before moving out and Owner expressly consents to the replacement, subletting, or assignment, then:
a. A \$150 TRANSFER FEE APPLIES TO TENANT(S) THAT WISH TO FIND REPLACEMENTS.
b. A reasonable fee will be due if re-keying is requested or required; and
c. The remaining Students will remain liable for all Lease Contract obligations for the rest of the original Lease Contract term.
d. Your reservation deposit will be refunded less the re-letting fee only after all the replacement Students' paperwork and deposits have been turned in. In the event the semester has already started and occupancy has been given, the Security deposit less there-letting fee will be returned at the end of the school year.

NOTE: It is the sole responsibility of the departing Student and remaining Students to find a replacement. The \$150 fee is paid by the departing Student to cover administrative costs. Owner has no responsibility to find a replacement. If no replacement is found the departing Student and remaining Students are still liable for the total amount of the rent.

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15) **USE OF PROPERTY:** Students will use the property only for residential purposes and agree to abide by all laws and ordinances of the Town of Bloomsburg, the State of Pennsylvania, and the Codes of Conduct of Bloomsburg University. Students are prohibited from having "OPEN PARTIES". Violation of PA Law and Bloomsburg University policy regarding drugs or alcoholic beverages is cause to cancel Lease with no refund. Kegs of alcohol or "Party Balls" on the Premises will result in immediate cause to cancel the Lease. At no time will the Students or others congregate in areas not designed as living space. If a "Disruptive Conduct Report" is received from the Town of Bloomsburg, a minimum \$500 FEE WILL BE ASSESSED AND MADE PAYABLE WITHIN 5 DAYS OF SAID DISRUPTIVE CONDUCT REPORT. These reports are a result of disruptive and often illegal behavior and are issued by the Bloomsburg Police Department. In addition, the landlord reserves the right to evict tenants as a result of an issued "Disruptive Conduct Report."

16) **CONDUCT:** Students covenant that they will not commit or permit a nuisance in or on the premises and that they will not engage in conduct such as to interfere with the comfort and/or safety of the same occupants of the same or adjacent buildings. **NO** parties or any loud music shall be permitted in said premises (See Section 16).

- **First Offense: A ONE HUNDRED & FIFTY DOLLAR (\$150) FINE** will be issued to the address for a disorderly conduct citation issued by the issuing law enforcement agency.
- **Second Offense: A TWO HUNDRED DOLLAR (\$200) FINE** will be issued to the address for a disorderly conduct citation issued by the issuing law enforcement agency and the eviction process will begin.
- **Third Offense: A FIVE HUNDRED DOLLAR (\$500) FINE will be issued to the address, immediate eviction, termination of lease, and no rental payments or security deposits will be returned** in the event a disorderly conduct citation issued by the issuing law enforcement agency.

17) **CRIMINAL ACTIVITY:** ANY CRIMINAL ACTIVITY COMMITTED BY A STUDENT OR BY ANY MEMBER OF THE STUDENT'S HOUSEHOLD OR ANY GUEST OR OTHER PERSON UNDER THAT STUDENT'S CONTROL OR IS A DANGER TO THE PREMISES IN ANY DRUG RELATED CRIMINAL ACTIVITY ON OR NEAR THE PREMISES BY THE STUDENT OR ANY MEMBER OF THE STUDENTS HOUSEHOLD OR ANY GUEST OR OTHER PERSON IN THE STUDENT'S CONTROL SHALL BE GROUNDS FOR IMMEDIATE TERMINATION OF THE LEASE. VIOLATION OF THE PROVISION SHALL BE A MATERIAL AND IRREPARABLE VIOLATION OF THE LEASE AND GOOD CAUSE FOR IMMEDIATE TERMINATION OF THE LEASE. A single violation of any of the provisions in this lease shall be deemed a serious violation and a material and irreparable non-compliance. It is understood that a single violation shall be good cause for immediate termination of the lease under 41 O.S. } 132 (D).

18) **MAXIMUM OCCUPANCY:** The maximum number of overnight guests for this property (Section 2) is limited to _____ (____) persons. Maximum occupancy for this property inside and outside shall not exceed fifteen (15) persons at any time. If Student exceeds the maximum occupancy, Student and any and all of their guests are subject to immediate removal and forfeiture of their security deposit and rental payment(s).

19) **UTILITIES:** Students will pay the following: electric, heat, cable T.V., internet, telephone, water. Sufficient heat must be maintained by the Student at all times to prevent frost damage. Should the garbage not be picked up in a timely manner, the Owner can remove garbage at a rate of \$25 per bag. Students are required to keep all utilities turned on for the entire duration of the Lease Term. If Students are returning to the Premises for the following school year, they must keep the utilities in their name regardless if they are living there over the summer.

- Your heat type is:
- Your Hot Water type is:

Student Fee- The student fee is \$149 per semester per student. This fee covers the utility bills which stay in the Owner's name (Sewer, Trash, Recycling) and includes the student license fee. This is billed on the invoice for the Fall and spring Rent and is due along with your rent.

20) **DEPOSITS:** At the time of the signing of this Lease, each Student will deposit with the Owner the sum of \$350 as a reservation deposit which becomes the security/damage and cleaning deposit when payment of fall rent is made. The Owner reserves the right to bring legal action for any damages to the property not covered by the deposit. Deposits will be held per PA Law, 68 Purdons 250.511.a & 512. In the event damages occur during the Lease term, the Deposit will be billed at the time of the damage, cleaning, or cost imposed per rules. If the amount of the Deposit held by the Owner at any time falls below \$200 the Student will be billed to bring the balance back up to \$350. Failure to do so is cause for termination of this Lease.

➤ Students agree that if more than one (1) person occupies the premises the damages, at the Owners discretion, may be apportioned between all the Students and subtracted from the Security deposits as well as any additional monies that may be charged if the Security deposits are insufficient. Upon the end of the Student's Lease Students will be given a list of the deductions made to the account and will receive the remaining balance within 30 days of the ending of their Lease, provided they have given the Property Manager their forwarding address. If the Student fails to provide their forwarding address they agree to waive their right to the remaining balance; and said right shall be deemed waived and abandoned.

➤ **No Security Deposits will be returned until all Students have moved out and ALL the Students have settled all Rents and dues.**

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➤ Remaining balance check will not be mailed until all keys and key chains are returned and all utilities are turned off and balances paid.

➤ No interest is paid on security deposits.

➤ The deposit of \$350 which is collected at the time of lease signing is used as a Reservation Deposit to hold the apartment for the Students until the Fall semester's rent is paid in July. At that point the Reservation Deposit becomes the Security deposit.

21) **END OF LEASE:** Student agrees to move out of the leased property at the end of this lease. Student understands that once the lease has ended, the Student cannot remain in the leased property. If the Student does not move out at the end of the lease, Student will agree to pay \$200 per day plus any and all costs that the Landlord incurs due to the Student's failure to move out of the property on the agreed upon end date of this lease.

22) **ABANDONMENT:** Any of the Student's personal property or possessions remaining on the Property after the Student moves out will be considered to be abandoned property. The Owner will have the right to remove and dispose of any abandoned property in any manner determined by the Owner. Student will pay for the cost of removal and disposal of abandoned property.

23) **Landlord Right of Entry:** Owner reserves the right to enter the premises at reasonable times to determine if cleaning and/or repairs are needed or to show the apartment to a prospective Student. Repairs and cleaning may be done, and deposits charged prior to the end of the term. Students agree to the showing of the Premises to other prospective Students or buyers.

Landlord may enter the property at any time without advanced notice when there is reasonable cause to believe that an emergency exists, a lease violation is occurring, or to perform routine or emergency maintenance, whether or not requested by the Student.

For example, if there is a disturbance and the police come to your apartment, they can call us at any time of the day or night and we will open the door of your property for them because a disturbance is a lease violation.

However, whenever possible 24-hour notice will be given prior to owner or owner's representatives entering the apartment.

Landlord will perform periodic inspections of the leased property to ensure that it is being maintained in a safe and sanitary condition. Student understands that the Landlord may photograph or videotape the leased property before move-in, during periodic inspections, and following move-out to document unit damage and condition.

24) **TERMINATIONS:** In the event of a violation by any one of the Students occupying the Premises or their guests of any provision of this Lease, the Owner reserves the right to terminate the Lease, in which case all rents will be retained by the Owner. Owner may evict one Student or all of the Students for a violation of the lease at Owner's discretion. A violation of the Rules and Regulations attached to this lease is a material breach of this lease. **IN THE EVENT THE OWNER NEEDS TO EVICT ANY STUDENT(S) OCCUPYING THE PREMISES. THE STUDENT(S) HEREBY WAIVES OR GIVES UP THE RIGHT TO ANY EVICTION NOTICE, AND AGREES TO MOVE OUT IMMEDIATELY UPON EVICTION.**

a. In the event a Student is evicted from the premises the Student (s) remains liable for the full amount of the rent until the time the original lease has expired or the Owner has been able to re rent their spot to another Student.

25) **FIRE PROTECTION:** Local and State fire officials have suggested and/or mandated the following restrictions for your protection:

- Do not tamper with smoke detectors and please report inoperable smoke detectors immediately
- It is the Student's responsibility to regularly test the smoke detectors.

26) **MOVE IN INSTRUCTIONS: Before any Student moves in, all Rent/Student loan award letters must be received along with all parent guarantee forms. No keys will be given out to any Student until all paperwork is complete and rents/security deposits collected.**

27) **CAUTION: This Lease is a binding legal obligation. Each Student is signing this Lease for one academic year, which means each Student is legally liable for the entire rental fee. If you have questions, consult an attorney or the BU Housing Office.**

27) **EXCLUSIONS:** Under this Lease Agreement, window treatments and furniture are not included unless noted under exceptions.

A) **EXCEPTIONS:** _____

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